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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERA

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company 9. Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at, SPM., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Manager, and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to 22nd March 1890, both days inclusive. By Order.

A. G. GORDON. General Manager. Hongkong, 7th March, 1890. THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-TAPESTRY COVERED DEAWING ORDINARY MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. Ladies' Embroidered on Silk and Plush Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 24th Covered CHAIRS, CHIMNEY GLASSES, instant, at 3 p.m. The object and business MIRROR BRACKETS, English-madeof the Meeting will be to confirm the Special Resolutions numbered 2, 3, and 4 passed on the 3rd March, 1890. Teak DINING TABLE, WHATNOTS By Order of the Board of Directors. and SIDEBOARD with Glass Back, VIEN

> Hongkong, 5th March, 1890. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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> Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, 2 .- Aria, for Soprano, Mia) Miss Ignez LIMITED.

NOTHER OF EXTRAORDINARY MEET ING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-N. ORDINARY MEETING of the SHABEHOLDERS in the above Company DAY, the 29th day of March, 1890, at 0.30 P.M., when certain resolutions necessary to carry out the Reconstruction of the Company passed at Verdi / the Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders held 6.—Cochuchs, for Piane, on the 13th inst.) will be put to the Meeting for confirmation as Special Resolutions. Copies of 7.—Grand Aria & Ca. these resolutions have been forwarded to the Registered Shareholders in the Company, and TERMS OF SALE - Cash The Launch to be unregistered holders of shares can obtain copies on application at the Office of Messrs. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

By Order of the Board of Directors. CHAS F. BARTON. Secretary. Hongkong, 17th March, 1890.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHULDERS

in the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on MONDAY, the 31st instant at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and Statement of Accounts to 3 ist December, 1889. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th to the 31st March, 1890, both days inclusive. By Order.

GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS called for Friday, the 7th instant, is unavoidably POSTPONED until further notice. By Ordex.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Hongkong, 6th March, 1890. LABUK PLANTING COMPANY,

LI 1TED. OFICE is hereby given that the 3rd CALL

of 85 per Share on the 4,000 Shares numbered 1001/5000 is PAYABLE to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before the 17th April, 1890, and Calls not paid on said date are liable to interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from 7th April to 17th April, 1890. LABUK PLANTING Co., Ld.

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SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that by the Articles of Association the Fourth (LAST) INSTALMENT of \$10 (Ton dollars) per Share (on Shares not fully paid) is due on the 31st of March, 1890. This Instalment will be received at the Registered Office of the above Company, No. 62, Queen's Road Central, Hong-| a578 | kong. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Appum will be charged on Unpaid instalments. Dated in Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. C. EWENS. General Manager.

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> Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL & BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

DEATHS. At Kowloon, Hongkong, on the evening of the 17th instant, Hennier John, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. Eitel, aged 20 years. On the 5th February, at Nogent-sur-Marne, France, after a few days' illness, ALICE MARY, eldest daughter of the late John McLeod Grigor, of Yokohama. Japan, aged 17.
At his residence, Shanghai, on the 11th March, 1890, THOMAS WALLACE, Senr., aged 57 years.

Daily Press.

Honokong, March 18th, 1890.

THE Official Assignee for the Straits Settleember, 1888, the date when the Ordinance who proved was a little over 70 per cent, be trusted to distinguish between the two The dobts in the schedules, however, amount. and apportion the penalty accordingly

ed to \$123,310, and the assets to \$189,667. It would appear, therefore, that less than 10 per cent. of the alleged assets were realised 15 per cent, of the debts in the schedule The figures for 1889 have not yet been pubshow that the amount involved in bankrupteles was much larger than in the preceding

Mr. Hornby recommends the following mendments and additions to the bank ruptcy law:--Inability of a bankrupt to pay bour and was sunk; has been raised. his creditors 50 per cent. to be made a Court that his failure was clearly traceable to and Duchess of Connaught were issued yesterday. misfortune; neglect to keep or failure to an Ordinance to be passed providing for the from New York, left Singapore for this port registration of private deeds of arrangement; an amendment of the law dealing with fraudulent preference; and an Ordinance to be passed providing for the registration of part- port to-day. nerships. The last point has often been [a23] discussed in Hongkong and it is therefore interesting to note what Mr. Honn-BY has to say upon it:-"The difficulty of ascertaining the true partners in a bankrupt firm, especially amongst the Chinese, who trade in the name of young relations and friends of no means, taking the profit-if successful, without incurring losses The same being specially selected by our provisions of this Ordinance [the Bankruptcy Ordinance abortive, unless some legislation tion of partners. On possession being taken. the partnership and stock accounts in Chinese firms are seldom surrendered, and, Dock Company, left here on Sunday by the the kingdom contained considerable wealth in judging from the inability of the majority to explain satisfactorily to the Official Assignee | possibility of getting the steamer off. the causes of their deficiency, it may reasonably be inferred that the accounts have been purposely kept back with the object of keep- and the Poochi are able to get up to Tientsin | Glenariney; no permit having been 'issued for ing other names out of the proceedings. In only two insolvent Chinese estates have the the River. creditors given to the Official Assignee any information or evidence respecting the composition of the partners; in the majority of cases they have appeared more desirous of maintaining this secret and fraudulent system than of increasing their dividend.' These remarks apply equally to Hongkong. The Chinese themselves have petitioned in C. N. Co. One of them, the Kweiyang, a twin-arrived at Bangtapan. Everyone in Bangkok this Colony for the compulsory registration screw boat, has passed the Canal outwards; sympathises with the difficulties the company of partnerships and the desirability of such a system, looked at in the abstract, is selfevident. The difficulty is in arranging for question, as partners absent from the Colony could-not-register-in-person, and they could not be made criminally responsible for the

> guishing between a bona fide partner and man who merely advances money. The following, from the Board of Trade's annual report on bankruptcy, of careful consideration :- "The depressing the country by the fraudulent and reckless competition of insolvent and therefore irresponsible traders has not hitherto received adequate recognition by the trading community itself. . . It may probably have 8 p.m. : been that manufacturers and traders were themselves ignorant of the extent to which this evil prevailed; that they regarded the Bolero nsolvency of the country as the measure of unavoidable risks which are inseparable from the conduct of mercantile business: and that they overlooked the fact that the directlosses sustained by creditors of bankrupt illegitimate competition. The revelations of the Bankruptcy Court under the present Act have in this respect an important bearing upon the formation of public opinion, and are now doing something to on the same point, and showing how markets are disturbed when even a small quantity of material-is being sold below value

by a dishonest trader on the way to bank-A strict bankruptcy law is therefore ne cessary for the commercial health of a com munity. The principle of throwing the re sponsibility on the creditor of seeing that Heering's Cherry Cordial the person to whom he gives credit is entitled to it, and affording him no protection against fraudulent or careless trader, is not a desirable one, even if the debtor and creditor Young won by about two yards. The time was were the only persons concerned, as it means | 13 4-5th sees, as against 13 2-5th sees, made by a general restriction of credit. But as the debtor and creditor are not the only persons concerned, and many honest traders may be adversely affected, even to the point ing and paying concern under its present of ruin, by the underselling of the dishonest trader-whose care is not to make a profit but to live at other people's expense for a He will be superseded by Mr. W. Adsms Oram time and then get "whitewashed"—the cri-[670 minal law ought to be made strictly appli-

cable as far as possible,

As to its being made compulsory on traders to keep certain books of account in prescribed form, the difficulty here is much the called the Hall of the Three Spirits, Hongkew, same as in the case of the compulsory regispartners criminally responsible for what criminal jurisprudence. We believe such law was introduced in the Netherlands the fire. The priests contrived to rescue the Reach; latter lost bowsprit and foretopmest ments, Mr. Horney, has recently presented Indics a few years ago, but what success has contents of the burnt building. a report on the administration of the Bank. attended its working we are unable to say ruptcy Ordinance, 1888, since the 3rd Dec- If the end proposed could be arrived at by Simultaneously with the dredging operations at means which would be unobjectionable came into operation, to the 31st December it would undoubtedly be most desirable. last. As an amendment of our own bank. By far the most practical and useful of Mr. ruptcy law will probably soon be proposed. Horney's suggestions, however, is that in now that the new Attories-General has which he recommends that bankrupts who arrived, the working of the new law in the cannot pay a dividend of 50 per cent. to works without pay, they consider themselves Straits is not without interest for us here, their creditors should be treated as criminals very fortunate in being paid in this case, half of The amounts involved in the bankruptcies in and punished accordingly unless they can to be finished in half a month. The Shen-pag of the two colonies is, it may be noted, very show that their bankruptcy was the result 13th March has a leader on this subject, awarding different. In the Straits Settlements last of misfortune. The man who loses other the preference to this method over that of em-Year the estimated assets of bankrupts people's money except by misfortune, who, work is more satisfactorily and quickly perform- the thing station. Most of her officers have been amounted to \$385,830, the estimated liabili. in other words, squanders it, is either a ed, and the men are under much better control. appointed to join her on the 18th, when she will ties to \$1,304,083, and the estimated loss to regue or a fool. With the terrors of the Kiangsu and also General Lung, whom it com- Arrow, think that she would be more efficient creditors to 8918,252. In Hongkong in 1888 criminal law before them both classes would pares to Yang Hu, a famous statesman and com- for war purposes if the yards on her foremast the amount realised by bankrupt estates was be to a great extent restrained from reckless \$18,942 and the amount of debts proved or dishonest trading, and when it became his men at their hard work, quite regardless of pole-mast, for fore-and-aft sail. In peace time \$59,985, so that the loss to those creditors necessary to apply the law the Courts might the severity of the weather. The Chinese do her yards may be useful in case of a breakdown. FRIDAY. Morning, arrive from Capton, leave

The delivery of the English mail was begun at 4.30 p m, yesterday.

and that this sum amounted to only about instalment of our serial story, "A Born Co-

There were 1,288 visitors to the City Hall lished; when they appear they will probably Museum last week of whom 119 were Europeans

> The A.D.C. are giving a "small and early' on Monday next to celebrate the final disbandment of the "Forty Thieves." The Puthemone, which was loading at New

York for Japan, and which caught fire in har-The Acting Governor's invitations for ounishable offence unless he can satisfy the "At Home" on the 31st March to meet the Duke

The Agents (Wessrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. produce proper books to be made an offence; inform us that the Glen Line steamer Glengyle,

The O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with mails, &c from San Franscisco to the 27th ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama and will leave for this

The Superintendent informs us that the P. O. extra steamer Nizam, from Bombay, left Singapore on Saturday, the 15th inst., at 6 a.m.,

Captain Arai, of the Japanese Navy, who has been ordered to bring the man-of-war Chiyota from England, where it has been built, will leave | country is strongly hostile. Russia, on th Japan with his suite on the 27th inst.

The Japan Gazette regrets to learn that Mr. Sannomiya, Secretary to the Imperial House in case of failure, will, I am of opinion, in a | hold Department, while out shooting on the 5th constantly increasing degree, render the instant, received a charge in the shoulder and

by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best is adopted requiring the registration of is now owned in Shanghai. She is commanded with him three generals and two captains and by Mr. Otter, her late chief officer. The was to endeavour to recover his kingdom, which partnerships with the view to the identifica. Nanaimo went into the old Dock on the 13th he would try and reach through Siam. His

> steamer Murie for the scene of the wreck of the, as yet; unopened mines. The following the Southow, to ascertain whether there is any incident reported in the Straits Times of the

A correspondent writes the Mercury from Wuhu, on the 11th March, as follows:—"Our rice export was stopped to-day. The steamer

Taiwan, now loading, and Fooksang expected, are the last vessels allowed to take rice away un- to hand either good or bad. Four or five new are expected early this year from home for the Mr. MacGregor has said so much, have not yet

other two are the Yunnan and Nanchang. The San Francisco Chronicle says the authorities have finally begun investigation into its practical working. To enforce registra- the records of the Japanese women who have tion by penal provisions arems out of the been entering that port in considerable numbers, and it is to be hoped that they will check the importation of those of immoral character.

The steamer Peking, which arrived in Shanghai on the 11th instant, from Hongkong vie failure of their representatives. In some Taiwanfoo, reports having passed on the 4th What they are now anxiously waiting for is gold cases also there is a difficulty in distin. instant, off Bresker Point, two fishing junks nothing but gold, not talk or gossip, but some bottom up, but there were no persons clinging thing real and tangible upon which a dividend to them. The Peking had bad weather all the may be built." The following is another exway to port.

quoted by Mr. Hornby and is deserving res Straits, was Captain Saunders, who was till said gentleman expresses himself highly satisfied some three months ago in command of the stea- with the prospects of the mines. In his opinion mer Purnea in the coasting trade between Cal. a dividend and a good one will be declared Interest account influence exercised on the general trade of outta, Rangoon, and Singapore. He was called before the end of the year, home to take command of the Quetta and this unfortunate voyage was his first with the vessel.

> The Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at the Officers' Mess, this (Tuesday) evening, commencing at don, the representative of Vancouver in the Do

> > " Io sou la Rosa "

..... Mariani

The leading article in a recent number of the Sing Po. a Chinese paper published at Singa pore, speaks in praise of a certain woman wh has sold her own person to a life of immorality in order to obtain a large sum of money to enable her elder brother to take a wife and estates are very small, compared with the establish himself in trade. She is considered indirect losses inflicted upon legitimate trade as having a high sense of filial piety and British Columbia by Canadian Pacific steams

Selection "Reminiscences of Hayda" interbottom.

A striking object from the Magazine Gan Road at present is the spendid mass of purple colour displayed by the bougainvillen, now in full bloom, covering the band-stand in the Botanic Gardens. This is well worth a walk up to the enlighten and stimulate it." A quotation is Gardens to see, but from the Magazine Cap Road, where the mass appears in the distance also given from a financial journal bearing framed in by the surrounding green, the effect l is particularly beautiful.

There will be a meeting of the Legislative Council to-morrow afternoon. The following with this object in view will be pressed upon are the orders of the day:— 1.—Financial Minutes.

2.—Report of the Finance Committee (No. 4-90). 3.-First reading of the Bill entitled the Vaccina

tion Ordinance, 1890... 4.—Committee on the Magistrates' Bill. 5.—Third reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance amend the Public Health Ordinance, 1887.

A 120 yards running match between Mr. W H. Young, winner of the Veterans' Race at the Todd, M.A., to the Mercury to date Feb. 1:th. recent Athletic Sports, and Mr. J. Ezekie the latter having 5 yards start, was decided yesterday afternoon on the Racecourse. Mr Mr. Young at the Sports, but on this occasion the path was much heavier.

The Bangkok branch of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, which has become such a flourishmanagement, is says the Bongkok Times, soon to lose its pioneer agent, Mr. J. R. M. Smith who is about to leave on a well earned holiday who has arrived from Singapore. Mr. Smith has made himself so very popular in Bangkok that it is not at all surprising to hear a general-

expression of regret at his departure. The Mercury says that shortly before 12 o'clock on the night of the 11th inst. the temple The firemen arrived early on the scene, but owing to the distance of the fire from the hydrants Station at the end of her present term. might be the neglect of one only would not it was some time before the water could be be consistent with the tenderness of our brought to play upon it and even then the bose had to be laid on from the Seward Road Bridge. distance of some 12 or 13 hundred feet from

> The N. C. Daily News has the following:-Woosung, which are expected to cost Tls. 300,000, a smaller work of the same nature, the clearing and deepening of the Wents'ao Pang Creek at Woosung, is in progress by order of Kang, Governor of Klangan Province. General Lung's soldiers are employed as labourers, and assoldiers are as a rule obliged to labour on public what coolies would receive. The work is expected loying the natives of distressed districts, as the It takes occasion to praise the Governor of hoist the pennant. Many officers, says Broad Wednesday.-Afternoon, by memorial stone as the charter money was paid by the charterer. should have to ask once again: "Why is there mander who died A.D. 278. The General is were done away with, and if she were fitted said to be constantly on the scene, encouraging either with a military top forward, or merely a Thursday. Spend in Canton. Leave in evennot approve of keeping the military "eating but in action the less top-hamper she has the their heads offe until they have to be sollyely bettey and the would be easien at men with him

A Shanghai native paper says;-Near Sin-On our fourth page to-day we give mother uncultivated and desert state for many years Opossum, and was specially mentioned for his tive as other districts. The experiment suc- star, ceeded admirably. Crops of rice, mage, and barley are now emiling where formerly nothing was to be seen but arid and lifeless wastes. And best of all, the conduct of the convict colony was so exemplary, that the Emperor, at the suggestion of the Board of Punishment, has celebrated his twentieth birthday by graciously pardoning their crimes. They will settle permanently in the lands they have thus tilled, and take wives

> from amongst the women of the province. A St. Petersburg telegram says a Special Government Committee has drawn up a scheme for the construction of the Siberian Railway, ten years. The cost is estimated at 250,000,000 roubles, which is regarded as very moderate, when it is considered that the line will be 4,375 miles in length. The comparatively small cost of the undertaking is owing to various ingenious | pose seizing the country. simplifications in the work of construction. A Berlin correspondent writes on the other hand -I am informed that the rumours of an early construction of railway in (hims are unfounded, and that the project of laying down lines in Manchuria has been abandoned. The Chinese Government has had to give up all its great rnilway plans, because public opinion in th other hand, is quietly strengthening her army on the Chinese frontier, and has just ordered the reinforcement in December of the two East Siberian Rifle Brigades by one battalion each.

Apparently the last has not been heard Marie I., King of the Sedangs, says the N. C. Daily News, as he arrived at Singapore recently The British barque Nanaime has been sold and in the Sachsen, as the Count de Mars. He had Majesty was in the hands of a Belgion banker who had advanced the money to enable him to Mr. Cooke, of the Hongkong and Whampoa further the venture, as it was represented that 10th inst. points in the same direction: - Op Thursday last eleven cases, each case contain-The water in the Tientsin-River is now (says ing ten Spencer repeating rifles, consigned t the Shen-pau) so shallow that only the El Dorado Leon Groetaure were landed from the steamship with cargoes. The other steamers have to unthese arms, the police have taken possession of load into cargo bosts at Taku at the mouth of the same, pending investigation. It is said that

the rifles are or were intended to be transhipped to the territory ruled by the King of the Sedangs The Stam Mercantile Gazette, in an article on Mining Concessions and Minerals in Siam, says As regards Bangtapan there is nothing new Europeans have been engaged, so that the number of Europeans at the mines may be put down The Daily News says that four new steamers at about a dozen. The dredgers about which the next to be ready is the Singan, and the has had to encounter. As is well known the labour question is the difficult problem at Bangtapan, and the site of the Gold Mines is also liable to sudden and heavy floods. As the Company has successfully faced every difficulty up till now, we trust that in the end the shareholders may receive a handsome dividend. Bangtapan has a good chance of turnng out successful, at least the Directors in Bang kok seem to be full of genuine confidence. Ih general public are, however, getting impatient tract from the same paper :- "We hear that H. R. H. Prince Dewan has received from Co The Rangoon Gazette rays the commander of lonel Thyne, vice-chairman to the Siam Gold the steamer Quetta, which was wrecked in Ter- Fields Co., a report on the mines, in which the

> Sir John Macdonald has at last put to rest the rumours of an intended relaxation of the present restriction upon the importation of Chinese into Canada. Replying to Mr. Gorminion House of Commons, the Canadian Premier has stated that no application, either verbal or written, has been made to the Government for the repeal of the present tax of \$50 upon | Balance from last year every thinaman entering Canada. This pract Working account . tically disposes of the agitation which has somewhat disturbed the political life of British Columbia of late, for it is certain that in the absence of pressure from the province mostly concerned the Dominion Government would not do anything to increase facilities for Chinese immigra-The poll-tax seems to have answered its purpose fairly well. The arrivals of Chinese in ships from China during 1889 were 500 less than the departures for China, and this certainly goes to show that the fears that the province would be used by the Chinese as a means of gaining laccess to the United States are in a large measure groundless. Nevertheless, there is a movement on fact to still further reduce the Chinese proposing the adoption of the report and acimmigration into the province: and soon after the Dominion Parliament met, a petition signed by nearly a thousand citizens of Vancouver was presented, not only opposing any reduction in the tax, but favouring an increase from \$50 \$100 per head, and it is understood that a Bil the attention of the House this session by some of the British Columbia representatives .-

Canadian. The following items are from the London and China Express of the 14th February :--The following appointments have been made at the Admiralty - Chaplain the Rev. C. J.

It is notified in the Gazette that the Queen has official member of the Legislative Council of

Captain Charles P. G. Hicks, R.N., selected for the command of the troopship Scrapis, was last employed in command of the Albatross. in China, from Dec., 1882, until paid off in Dec. 1886. He was promoted captain Jan. 1st, 1887

The Hamburg branch of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation is steadily de veloping, and is doing a satisfactory business especially as relations have already been opened between the German industrial houses and the import markets of China.

Notwithstanding the serious trouble, which was burnt to the ground. The fire originated has been experienced with regard to the con- whether there is serious objection to the visit in some reeds that were stacked close by, and the denser tubes of the Impérieuse it has been de taking place on Wednesday, and has replied Deacon, for the defendant. tration of partnerships. To make all the flames spread rapidly to the adjacent building termined (says The Times) that she shall serve that there is. another commission as flagship on the China

> The following wire was received on Feb. 12th:-Glengarry afterwards took the ground on mudwill float with the next tide.

An important case has been decided this week in the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice, in which Captain validity of marriage. Capt. Brinkley contracted a marriage in Japan in 1886 with a lady named Yasu Tanka, a native of the Empire. The President, in giving judgment, held that the marriage having been contracted according to the laws of Japan was valid, and granted the prayer of the petition.

The Mercury is being painted white, ready for

Captain Charles John Balfour, who has been king in the Shensi province there are large selected for the command of the Mercury to tracts of country which have remained in an date from the 18th inst., was lieutenant of the past on account of an absurd idea the people had beryices at the attack on the Peiho forts, June that they were unfit for cultivation. But some 25th, 1859, receiving the China medal. He was time ago the Board of Punishment received commander of the Sultan at the bombardment permission from the Throne to deport criminals of Alexandria, July 11th, 1882, during Egyptian to these districts and see if their labour could not | War, was promoted, and received the Egyptian make these neglected lands as fertile and produc- medal. Alexandria clasp, and Khediye's bronze

> LATEST TELEGRAMS. FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS.

PREMIER. Herr Tisza the Hungarian Promier has re-

LONDON, 8th March,

LONDON, 10th March. THE FRENCH IN DAHOMEY. The King of Dahomay has invaded French according to which the line will be completed in Territory. He was repulsed with heavy loss, but captured six Frenchmen. France exacts complete reparation, and if refused will inflict a salutary lesson. France does not however pur-

HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKER

COMPANY, LIMITED: The ordinary general meeting of chareholders of the above Company was held at the offices of the General Managers, Mesars, Lane, Crawford

& Co., vesterday afternoon. There were present: -Messrs. H. Crawford (Chairman), E. George, D. McCullock, W. Parlanc, J. McCallum, H. E. Denson, A. D. Death, and A. H. Skelton. The following is the report:— The General Managers have the pleasure to submit to the charcholders the usual statement of accounts

for the year ending Stat. December last. The net profit on the working account for the is \$2,819.71, and the balance of profit and loss account is \$2,903.16. The General Managers submit for your approval that a dividend be declared of \$4 per share, which will absorb \$2,400,—the, calance of \$503.16 being carried The rolling stock of the Company has been kept upin thorough order, any repairs being put to current

CONSULTING COMMITTEE. The present Committee :- Mesers E. L. Woodin H. Crawford, J. D. Hutchidon, and D. McColloch retire in accordance with the articles of association. and are eligible for re-election.

The accounts have been audited by Mr. E. LANE, CRIWFORD & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 12th March, 1890.

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Outstanding accounts, 1889 (sales unpaid)-PROVIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT 1889. Intefunding accounts

The CHAIRMAN said that the accounts and report having been in possession of shareholders for some time, he proposed to take them as read. As they would see, the Company was able to pay the same dividend as was paid last year, 8 p. r cent., which was doubtless a good one, but not so good as they might expect: 'The Company was capable of doing a great deal more business if they could get it to do. Since the commencement of this year the business had improved and they trusted if this continued to be able to show even better results at the next meeting. Before

counts he would be pleased to answer any ques-. Mr. George—Has anything been written of for depr ciation of land ! The CHAIRMAN-No, it has not been thought necessary. In fact we consider the land has appreciated in value. If there are no further questions to be put I will propose the adoption of the report and accounts. -

Mr. GEORGE seconded. 4 Carried unanimously. Mr. George proposed and Mr. PARLANE seconded, the re-election of the Consulting Com-

mittee, Messrs, E. L. Woodin, J. D. Hutchison, 11. Crawford, and D. McCuiloch. The motion was carried. On the motion of Mr. PARLANE, seconded b Mr. McCallun, Mr. Whealler was re-elected

The Chairman said the dividend warrants sanctioned the appointment of Mr. Samuel would be forwarded to shareholders as soon as Brown. Surveyor-General of Hongkong, as an they were made out, and the meeting then closed

> THE VISIT OF THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT.

The following has been circulated by the Secretary of the Reception Committee:-Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. At the last Meeting of the Rec ption Sub Committee, held on the 10th instant, a communication from Her Majesty's Consul, Canton, was considered, in which Wednesday was stated to be an unsuitable day for Their Royal Highnesses' visit, owing to a religious procession which would cause much prowding in the streets

His Excellency the Officer Administering the commission on a charter party put through with up from Singapore.

The Consul has been asked by Government

day the next best day for the visit. needey and Thursday.

Tuesday.--Chinese processions will pass Gonoon the forts and docks will be visited. 'In Military tattoo. Harbour Works. Evening dinner and entertainment by Chinese in Ko Shing Theatre.

ing for Hongkong. for Shanghai. X. G. Mitchett-Innes.

Witness illuminations Leave for Canton.

THE OPENING OF CHUNGKING.

The following correspondence has been forwarded to us by the Socretary of the Chamber of Commerce:

The London Chamber of Commerce, \cdot Incorporated. London, 17th Junuary, 1890. The Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Hougkong. DEAR SIR, -At the last meeting of the East. India and China Trade Section of this Chamber was directed to sond you copy of a letter which the Chamber has recently addressed to the Foreign Office in response to an invitation from letter. The letter confirmed the evidence of the Lord Salisbury to state its view in regard to the proposed additional article to the Chefoe RESIGNATION OF THE HUNGARIAN Convention I am, Dear Sir, yours faithfully,

KENRIC B. MURRAY, Secretary.

6th January, 1890. The Most Noble The Marquis of Salisbury K.G., Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, &c., &c.

My LORD.—Your Lordship's letter of the

Ith December last, relative to a suggested Adlitional Article to the Chefor Convention of 1876 regulating the conditions of trade between this country and China, has received the careful attention of the Chamber and its East India and China Trade Section. In thinking your Lordship for the opportunity afforded this Chamber of expressing its view in regard to the proposals of the Chinese Government, and also for the copy of the agreement forwarded for its information, I am

to noint out that subject to certain modifications, the course proposed meets with the gen eral approval of London merchants concerned in trade with China. In the first place the Section is of opinion that Mr. Wotton was for the presecution, and Mr. the proposal that the port of Chungking be Pollock, instructed by Messrs, Caldwell and opened at once is of immediate importance to Wilkinson, for the defence.

British interests and will very greatly stimulate Mr. Wotton said in this case he should ask his trade with Western China. It is therefore Worship without stating any further grounds, hoped that Her Majesty's Government will ac- for a week's adjournment. In any case he should ept this proposal, as it confors real and tangible | require some further time as he was in communiadvantages beyond any that navigation of the Upper Yangtszo is likely to afford for many years owing to the natural obstacles presented by the river itself. The Section therefore rezards as reasonable and acceptable the proposal that British steamers shall have access to Chung. king as soon as Chinese steamers are permitted to go there, and that "during the interval the parrying trade shall be done by junks, but undersuch a system of facilities and privileges as will amined the whole of the books. The books and as far as possible assimilate it to that now enoved by steamors at the Treaty Ports on the Lower Yangtszo." While approving of other reason was that he was in communication this arrangement, however, the Section desires with London and had to wait for further into lay stress upon the importance of securing structions. the rights of British traders (a) to charter junks and to generally navigate native vessels under the British flag, and under the command of Bri tish subjects; (b) to repack piece goods at Hankow or Ichang by halving or quartering the bales for convenience of the up-river voyage (in view) of the special storage required) without payment | tering the house of Cheung Sam at night and of any extra import duties. In connection with stealing a pair of shoes and an umbrella, value the latter stipulation, I am to point out that un- \$3, and being in possession of four skeleton keys der the present Customs Rules foreign goods im- on the 16th inst. ported in China can be re-exported coastwise or Young Ho, a coolie employed at the Treasury up-river duty free only if in their original pack. I stated that about I a.m. on the 16th, he saw the

as to allow of repacking at Hankow of goods de- caught by a watchman. There was some bamstined for the new port. The East India and China Trade Section of witness thought an entry had been made. the Chamber, while appreciating the benefits that must accrue to British trade on the immediate opening of the port of Chungking, are nevertheless strongly of opinon that the right to navigate the Upper Yangtsze-a right which was ling a \$5 note from Tsa Alam, on the 15th inst. only conceded by the Chinese Government after |. The complainant stated that at 7 p.m. on the great diplomatic pressure—should not be de. | 15th inst. he was standing near Gilman's finitely abandoned. They would therefore sug: Bazaar with a \$5 note in his hand, when the rest that it should be waived for a period of, say, defendant ran up against him and snutched the ten years at the expiration of which it should note. Witness shouted and a constable arrested revert to British traders, who might then be the defendant. able to take advantage of any possible chance. J. McLennan, P.C. 73, stated that he was on in the internal policy of China whereby a survey duty in Queen's Road Central about 7.15 p.m. or of the Upper Yangtsze river, followed by the the 15th, when he heard some one shouting, and \$18,393.51 adoption of measures to remove the present ob. saw the defendant running away. He gave chase stacles to navigation, might be permissible; such and caught him, the \$5 note being still in his hand. measures would be extremely important in the His Worship sentenced the defendant to five event of the Chinese allowing a general improve. weeks' imprisonment. ment of the means of communication by land and water between the inlaud centres of population and the sea coast, thus affording increased | ceiving several amounts of money without affixfacilities for the distribution of British goods to ingareceipt stamp to receipts for sums above \$10. the large markets of the interior. The willingress of the Chinese Government to grant the concessions involved in the proposed add i- ship imposed a fine of \$50. tional article to the Chefos Convention should \$5,403.80 cortainly be encouraged, but, while securing present advantages, the possibilities of the future | SERIOUS TROUBLE IN WUCHANG. should be carefully weighed and provided for in any rearrangement of Treaty provisions involv ing rights already acquired I am to express the hope that the considera-

ions herein advanced will receive the favourable attention of Her Majesty's Government in the conduct of the negotiations now proceeding with the Chinese Government.—I am, my Lord, &c. KENRIC B. MURRAY, Secretary.

Hougkong General Chamber of Commerce Hongkong, 11th March, 1890. DEAR SIR. - I have the pleasure to acknowedge receipt of your esteemed favour of 17th Japuary, and I am directed by my Committee to tender you their best thanks for copy of Foreign Affairs, having reference to the proposed additional Article to the Chefoo Convention My Committe, while in no way wishing to deprecate the advantages likely to accrue to British rade by securing another outlet for her manufactures, scarcely think the opening of Chungking will realise the expectations of those who seem to anticipate a large immediate increase to the volume of trade.

My committee entirely agree with you thinking that the right of navigating the Upper Yangteze must not be abandoned. It is too be regretted that Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking was, apparently, not instructed to oppose the vacillating and temporising policy adopted by the Chinese Government in reference to this question. Persistent obstructive ness at every stage of the proceedings has secured them a diplomatic victory which will searcely tend to smooth the way for further

regotiation at a future date. Trusting that your suggestions will have reeived a favourable reception at the hands of the Secretary of State. I remain, &c.,

(ed., F. Hennerson. Kenrie B. Murray, Esq., Secretary, The London Chamber of Commerce London.

SUPREME COURT 17th March. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BRANDT V. BUSCHMANN. This was a claim for \$395 for commission or charter party arranged by plaintiff. Mr. Dennys was for the plaintiff and M Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mesers. Wotton and

The plaintiff stated that his claim was for

Government therefore suggests Thursday as Schellhass & Co. The charter was for six months the best day for Their Royal Highnesses' visit, and the commission 25 per cont. on the whole fearing that it might not be convenient for the amount. The agreement was a verbal one be-Steamship Glengarry in collision with schooner Royal party to leave on the night of arrival tween himself and defendant's shipping clerk. Isabella, of London, this morning, in Half-way here, especially as they may possibly arrive late It was agreed before the charter was signed and have experienced rough weather on the way that he was to get 24 per cent for introducing the charterer: the only work he had to do was to bank just below Crossness Sewage Works. She The Sub-Committee concur in thinking Thurs- bring the parties together. The charter was duly executed. The first month's commission If the General Committee have no objection, had been paid to him and had been deducted in the it is proposed to telegraph to His Royal High- claim. After the charter was signed some difficult ness to inform him that it has been found neces- ties crose in Shaughai, where the steamer said to act as agents. sary, for the reason stated above, to transpose was, and he received a notice from Schell-I too might court of Justice, in which Captain the programmes originally proposed for Wed- hass and Co, that no further commission would be paid to him as the charterer had be If this is done, the programme will be as foll come bankrupt, that the charterer was in gaol and they were bringing what force they could MONDAY.-Receive address, on landing, at the to bear upon him to get what they could from City Hall, excursion in the afternoon, dinner | him and in the meantime he (witness) must wait. and reception at Government House in the He had waited six months and then written to by wire, we may presume that the riot has not the defendant, who had repudiated all liability. been allowed to go farther. Indeed, anti-foreign vernment House in the morning. In the after- admitted the receipt of a letter, put in, written to be he is not the man to allow a riot to occur after the making of the verbal agreement, in | in his city, if the news of its probability is once the evening dinner at Head Quarter House and which it was stated that the plaintiff was to re- brought to his ears. But it might not be ceive his commission, in fortnightly instalments, brought to his ears until too late, and then we This concluded the case for the plaintiff.

> Mr. Francis called no witnesses for the defence. Mr. Doubys said that a verbal agreement was made between his client and the defendplothing had merica rish bit where it the trace and sharing remised

saction in bringing the parties together and getting the contract signed. It the charterer had broken the agreement, Messra Schellhass Co. had a claim against him and as matter of fact they were now enforcing t in Shanghai. This had nothing to do with the plaintiff, who had merely acted as a broker and whose concern in the matter ceased as soon as the parties were brought together and the

contract signed His Lordship said he would not call upon Mr Francis to reply. It was admitted that there was a verbal agreement first, and this was afterwards practically reduced by the writing of the plaintiff that the commission was to be paid, but contained a clause which explained how the money was to be paid. It was perfectly clear that the commission was to be paid immediately after the receipt of the charter money. There was no evidence that the defendant had ever received more than one month's instalment of the charter money and therefore he did not see how plaintiff could claim more than that. He was not called upon at present to decide whether if defendant received the money from the charterer eventually, plaintiff would not then have a claim. At present he had no claim and there would be judgment for the defendant with costs.

POLICE COURT

17th March.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE

THE EMBEZZLEMENT BY A BANK"CASHIER. John Gray, cashier, New Oriental Bank, was brought up on remand charged with embezzling \$29,000, the property of the Bank.

cation with London and was awaiting instructions. He did not think any opposition would be

offered from the other side. Mr. Pollock said he did not oppose the remand. His Worship said he should like to know generally on what grounds the remand was asked

Mr. Wolton said in the first instance he was not fully prepared to go on, not having fully exitems were very numerous and they had to be compared with documents from outside. An-

A remand was granted for a week.

BEFORE MR. E. ROBINSON.

AN OLD THIEF. "Tso Lam, 56, hawker, was charged with en-

ages with original marks and numbers; and that defendant on the ground floor of his house. Fat these rules would have to be modified, in the Hing Street, Queen's Road. Witness challengevent of Chungking being opened, in such sense ed him and the defendant ran away, but was boo scaffolding near the house, by which means His Worship sentenced the defendant to four months' imprisoument.

Chen Ching, a cooling was charged with steal-

CHEATING THE REVENUE. Yee Chunga landlord, was charged with re-The Colonial Treasuer prosecuted. · Defendant admitted the charge and his Wor-

The Rev. S. C. Partridge, of the American Church Mission, Wuchang, writes to the Daily News under date of the 10th March :- Attempts are being made to stir up a grand anti-Christian and anti-foreign excitement in the provincial capital of Hupsh province. . The boldness of the undertaking and the widespread dissemination of its literature are probably without a parallels in Central China. The facts, briefly, are as follows: -On Thursday night last a large number of obscene and inflammatory placards against the foreign religion were distributed throughout the city and posted up in the most conspicuous places. These placards consisted of a series of three printed sheets, varying in size from a small letter addressed to the Secretary of State for hand-bill to a moderate sized poster, and were filled with vile accusations of every kind. As no action was taken in the matter on Friday (it apparently, not baving, yet come to the notice of the foreigners). the miscreants waxed bolder and on Friday night again covered the walls with a series of posters of a larger and more virulent kind. In addition to these, antiforeign poetry and books were freely distributed

through the streets. The Italian Fathers resident in the city reforred the matter to the *Hsien*, but as usual no action was taken in the matter, and so they on Sunday laid the matter before the French Consul, who promptly notified the Taotai. At the same time the American and English missionaries notified their respective Consuls, and totlay the entire Consular body at Hankow are to take joint action in the affair. The rowdy cloment of the city is already excited and is issuing threats against the native Christians, while the most ribald anti-foreign songs are being freely sung by boys upon the streets

Sah-yang jen and Mich-yang jen ("kih the foreigners") ("exterminate the foreigners") are the pleasant sounds that greet one's ears. Native Christians were told vesterday that they would have "just three days more" to stay and then they would be bound and thrown out of the city with their foreign fathers." This series of posters was supplemented during Saturday night by two cartoons, one representing the Crucifixion and the other a Christain worship. They are too vile and obscene to be described minutely in the public press; suffice it to say that they represent the Saviour of the world as a pig and the incarnation of the god of lust! They have been laid before the various Consuls for their inspection and all agree that the annals of antiquity

furnish nothing to compare with them! ...The titles of the various sheets are as follows:--"False doctrines must die"-(circulated in

"The sweeping away of false teaching." "The eradication of error and implanting of "Kill the Devils," a song for popluar dis

"Devils worshipping the pig-apparition" "Worship of the heavenly hog"-a cartoon "Do not become devils," etc. The object of these publications is not only anti-Christian, but generally anti-foreign. Be-

ginning with the native Christians, who are to be beaten, stabbed, and thrown into rivers, they pass on to the missionaries and then to the other foreigners for whom the missionaries are Prompt and stern measures on the part of his Excellency the Vicercy are looked for by the foreigners of all nationalities. Any pro-

crastination may lead to serious trouble. The Daily News, commenting on the above letter, says .- As no later news has come to hand Cross-examined by Mr. Francis, the witness as the new Vicercy Chang Chih-tung is supposed

MUSIC AND MEAT.-It may interest our ant with the object of plaintiff introduct readers to know, on the authority of the ing a charterer for the steamship Bank "Musical World" (London), that the great chef Henriksen, and be was to receive 24 per songstress. Adelina Patti, hubitually uses cent, compulation on the charter money. The Lipbia Company's Extract of Meet as a vaca

no gunboat at Haukow ?'

CHINKIANG.

13th March have been living on the borders of the settle: ruined my career. There remains for me litera- salary as an officer of the Dragoon Guards. ment, are still being sent off to Shantung by ture and the right of quietly leading a life of But this did not prove sufficient. He squanthe local officials. Mr. 11. Playfair, appointed silent enjoyment of the pursuits best fitting my dered money with a lavish hand, and bor-British Consul (pro ton), for this port, arrived tastes. I am constantly employed in writing rowed from friends and from usurers. Last on the 9th inst. per steamer Fuhwo. Mr. L. C. poetry. The music of church bells and artistic week, the firm of Laviere & Co., Mon-Hopkins, who has had charge of British int rests surroundings of my home remind me of those treat, from whom his dog cart was purchasfor the past twelve months, left for Kinking who in past times lived and suffered from man's | ed. issued a writ for the cart. Then the firm this morning by the steamer Peking, carrying injustice. I will never lecture nor go into public who furnished his apartments called upon him FIRE HOUSE No. 10, ARBUTHNOT ROAD. the good-wishes of the whole of the foreign com. life again." Tilton poses as a martyr and exile for \$200, a balance due. Half an hour later Dhumunity. I understand that he will relieve Mr. for truth's sake. . illen, British Consul at Kiukiang, who leaves Europe shortly.—Mercury correspondent.

TIENTSIN.

H.E. the Viceroy will leave Tientsin on th 15th for Peking to escort H.M. the Emperor to The river is in fair condition this year. Given

good tides the steamers find little or no difficulty in coming to the Bund. Several steamers have dropped down the reach before turning, but yesterday the Husan and Heinsheng turned at the Bund below the shears. The river is heavily charged with silt at present, due doubtless to the melting of the snow in the hills. A sailer on the Hacting, while attending a shore rope at the Vegetable Bond yesterday. was caught by the rope whilst unceiling from a tree, and sustained fractures to both legs, one it is feared a compound fracture. injured man was brought to Tientsin by a tug,

and now lies in the Hospital. On Thursday evening last a young man named C. M. Encarnação, a Portuguese subject, who was Nice had gone mad once again. Fireworks flew an employe of the Comptoir d'Escompte, shot himself on board the steamer El Dorado, where he sightseers, and standing under the shelter of the had been taken with the intention of being conveyed to Shanghai for prosecution on the charge membered. It was a pantomimic transformation of forgery. The agent of the Comptoir d'Escompte, Mr. M. A. Philippot, discovered about a fortnight ago that Encarnacao had forged cheques to the total amount of Tis 1,360. He charged him with it, and Encarnação acknow- General de Division Governour. It then went ledged the offence. On the following day, howstraight to the Casino, where the keys of the ever, he absconded, after sending a letter to the town were, with a tremendously flowery speech, Perfuguese Consul, Mr. J. J. Hatch, to the effect that he should be at the bottom of the sea when his letter was received, expressing his regret for the crime he had committed. He, however, gave himself up to Inspector Brumfield after six days, and as there is no accommodation in Tientsin for foreign prisoners, occupied the inspector's rooms, under the charge of two policemen. While there he succeeded in parloining from a drawer a pistol that belonged to the inspector. He was taken on board the El Dorado about 530 and upon the return of the Innector about 6.20 was discovered lying on the floor of his cabin in a pool of blood, in a dying condition. He had placed the weapon in his mouth and fired. Nothing could be done to save him, and he died a little before seven o'clock. The body was taken to the mortuary chapel. An inquest was held by the Portuguese Consult yesterday, and from the evidence adduced the jury brought in the verdict: "That the deceased C. M. Energnacao committed suicide by shooting himself

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer, Mirzapore, with the English mail of the 14th February, arrived yeslon and Rangoon papers: -------

REPORT OF THE ARMY COMMISSION. LONDON, 28th February. The report of the Commission of which Lord Hartington was President lias just been issued, and proposes to substitute a chief stuff, assiste t by an advisory board, for the Commander inpower of granting warrants.

FRANCE AND GERMANX. Paris, 1st March. The Franch Government prospentes the newspaper Egalité for advising the German Socialists to shoot the Emperor William.

THE RECENT ARRESTS IN IRELAND. London, let March. who were arrested at Changorey, have been relation to attack upon the Government in relation to

LONDON, ist March.

Queensland Royal Mail steamer Quetta, from Brisbane to London, has been totally lost in Torres Straits, where she strack on an unknown ✓rock, and sank in three minutes. London, 3rd March.

One hundred and sixty-four lives were lost in the wreck of the B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Quetto, and one hundred and sixteen persons have been saved.

MR LABOUCHERE AND LORD SALISBURY. London, 1st March. Mr. Labouchere, in his speech yesterday evenevery effort to secure the fullest publicity for high society of Vienna not on the floor was respected him for it. He therefore handed to satirical tableaux. Sir Richard Webster the name of his informant regarding the warning giv o to Lord Arthur Somerset. Sir Richard Webs er, however, refused to look at the paper. It is asserted open-

ly to-day that it was Sir Francis Knollys. THE CONNEMABA DIVORCE CASE. LONDON, 1st March. Sir Charles Russell represents Lord Connemara and Mr Lockwood represents Lady Connemara in the Connemara divorce case which will shortly be tried.

ILLNESS OF MR. RUSSELL LOWELL. LONDON, 1st March. Mr. J Russell Lowell is ill. THE KHAN OF KHIVA'S TOUR.

St. Pete: Sburg. 1st March. The Khan of Khiva has abandoned his proposed visit to Russia, owing to ill health. LORD HARTINGTON'S TRIP! LONDON, 3rd March.

homeward journey from Egypt on the 24th

AN ACT OF CLEMENCY MADRID. 2nd March. A general amnesty has been proclaimed in Spain, to celebrate the recovery of the young

King from his recent severe illness.

LATE NEWS FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND CANADIAN PAPERS.

The following telegrams are from San Francisco and Canadian papers:-NEW YORK, 4th February.

Something of a sensation was caused here this recent trial at Elberfeld. morning. Premier Greenway of Manitoba was discovered in a rather delicate situation with a woman. An enemy of the Premier stole his sioners is rapidly approaching completion.

man was removed, and before an ambulance ar- tereau, which is 500,000,000 francs. rived a bouncing boy was born.

LONDON. 8th February. talists which furnished the money to bring other socialist outcry against the continuance of Duffalo Bill's Wild West show to Europe has the system aristocracy, having no other aim peen here on his way home with copies of the and serving no higher purpose than the personal

\$200,000. Senator John P. Jones is a member | the Almanch de Gotha, enough to pay the pub-

of the syndicate. PARIS, 9th February. Theodore Tilton was seen last night by a cor-

by: the Morgue not distant, handy enough was announced that he hid become engaged to should I be found dead in my lonely chamber. Miss Turnure, but this was denied. For some I have a contempt for the injustice of humanity time the Prince has been in financial difficulty. The weather this past week has been very in general, a love for the beautiful and no de- It was said his father, the ex-Rajah, gave him changeable. Large numbers of refugres, who sire to see the face of any human being. Beecher an annual allowance of £2,000, in addition to his DURNSIDE, ROBINSON BOAD, now in

it was "Carnival is coming!" And come he rowed \$500. The next morning his Highness did, but not the Carnival of old. This year left for New York, when he sailed for Paris. King Carnival XVIII. would have nothing to His father, the Rajah, was married last year, and do with steam or even water means of locomo- it is said that since that event the allowance to tion, so instead of arriving, as he often has done, his son and heir has ceased. It is no secret here at the Gare, he came strolling quietly along the that Prince Dhuleep Singh is indebted to Lon-Promenade Des Anglais. On his feet? Oh, don money landers to the extent of \$10.000. The the Eastern Tembs, and will be absent about a dear, no; a later invention still—a tricycle. It Prince's departure was so adden and unexpectwas 8 o'clock when his Majesty, who is to rule od that he had not time to pay the sum of \$200 revels for days to come, appeared, eighteen feet owing for board in height, dressed in a rese and yellow jacket, with knee-breeches, striped hose, pointed shoes and with a jockey cap. He made the palmleaves quiver. His golden tricycle wheels were nine feet high, and his suit was as elegant as his Majesty himself. There were the municipal firemen, bands without number, troops, bearers and a whole party of punchinellos on horseback. whose duty seemed to be to keep the red light boys up to their work and the torch-bearers in their places. Throughout the whole route the pavements were crammed, and never, perhaps, have visitors to Nice witnessed so brilliant a scene. The laughing, cheering, shouts, and music minuled ereated a true pandemonium. in all directions. Every balcony was filled with scene in real life. The procession, amidst dance ing and music, wended its way along the boulevards to the Place Garibaldi, where for a minute the King stopped to pay his respects to the

> evil that may happen during his reign. NEW YORK, 9th February, A cable special to the Times from London says :- Reports to-day indicate the imminent danger of a republican uprising in Lisbon, one of the curious features of which is that the crisis has been largely precipitated by the Duke of Orleans' foolish adventure. He is a brother of the new Queen of Portugal, and has always been ereat chum of her husband, and this demonstration of his against a republican government is said to be likely to react dangerously upon

handedto King Carnival XVIII. who afterwards

was conducted to his throne, where, with his

back to the sun, he will be monarch of all he

surveys, and the condoner of all deeds good or

his sister and brother-in-law. NEW YORK, 11th February. A Berlin special states that the stories of the San Francisco advertisement for titled Germans to marry rich California girls have just reached an enormous sensation. The Berlin people have fairly gone wild about the disclothrough the head with a revolver, while in an unsound state of mind."—Chinese Times. sures. A German newspaper copied the pub. H. Brick & Cement. and two officers of the Second Foot Guards. Hongkong Electric... who were greedy and foolish enough to fall into H. H. L. Tramways... the trap set by Romayer, have been asked to Hongkong Ice....... resign. This week they received dismissal from H. & K. Wharf & G. the service. This is the story published in H. Steam Laundry ... torday. The following telegrams are from Cey- January relating to the doings of a man named | Hongkong Rope...... Romayer of San Francisco, who advertised in H. & W. Dock....... the leading newspapers of Germany, Australia, Hotels-Hungary and other European countries offering to supply "gentlemen of position, noblemen, cavaliers and officers of high standing with California heiresses worth \$20,000,000." The advertisement was signed. "The International Bureau for Private Transactions, of San Frau-Chief, and also to transfer to Parliament the cisco." The two officers who have been summarily dealt with by Kaiser Wilhelm are Baron von Maltzhan and Arthur von Wulffen.

New Yörk, 13th February. The Mail and Express cable special from London says:—The leaders of the opposition in the flouse of Commons have decided to take every opportunity that offers to renew the discussion of the forged Piggott letters. Many of The parish priest of Kunsella, and the others the Liberals consider that the opening of the this matter in Sir William Vernon Harcourt's motion concerning the breach of privilege was too hurried, and that more deliberate and possib-News has been received at Lloyd's that the ly a better planned attack will yield better

VIENNA, 13th February. The "Ragged Ball" has proved a great suc- Miningcess, exer \$9,000 having been collected for the poor. It was a strange sight, to see the wealthiest and most aristocratic members of society here arrayed in rags, high-born dames being dressed as beggars. A quadrille of noblemen in tatters and an absurd causan danced by officers disguised as blind mendicants attracted much attention. In another square dance countesses costumed as Nautoh girls and three archdukes ing, stated that the Prince of Wales had used in the garb of scavengers took part. All the the oircumstances attending Lord Arthur watching the extraordinary spectacle from the Somerset's disappearance, and he honoured and boxes. The ball was preceded by a series of

> New York, 13th February. The Mail and Express cable special from Berlin says: - Declining health has compelled Herr Kruger, Chief of the Berlin police, to place the duties of his office in other hands. This, at least. is the accredited report. For some time past it has Trust & Loan Co. ... been reported that the Kasier, in consonance with | Watson & Co., A. S., his intention to adopt a milder policy towards the socialists and the workmen, has made up his mind to remove Kruger permanently. It is thought, therefore, that Kruger's present ill health is connected with the Kaiser's settled New Malwa

The Mail and Express cable special from vesterday for the purpose of consulting with Patna (New)\$502} per chest. Kaisar Francis Joseph in relation to the German Kaiser's rescript. The Austrian Emperor takes the deepest interest in the new policy which has just been adopted by Wilhelm II. The Marquis of Hartington starts on his since he bimself initiated the idea of such a policy as long ago as 1871. At that time he instructed Count Beust with regard to his ideas | MESSES FALCONER & CO.'S REGISTER MARCH 17TH on that subject, and Beust discussed the matter | Rayometer 9 A.M., 30.11 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet bulb) 57 with Bismarck at Gastein. Boust was directed to prepare a memorandum on the lines now laid Barometer 4 P.m. 30.00 Therm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 60 down by Kaisar Wilhelm, which was forwarded practically, owing to the stubborn opposition of

the Prussian Cabinet. Berlin, 13th February. The Vossiche Zeitung says the antagonism between the Emperor and Prince Bismarck has reached a point that will necessitate the retirement of the latter. The Emperor is declared to be thoroughly disgusted with the present A Journal special from Ottows, Ont., says: system of political police as illustrated in the

PANAMA, 13th February The work of the French Canal Commisclothes after he retired and then invited every. All sorts of rumours are affect, but the doncenbody in. Much indignation is expressed at the sus of epinion is that the choice of the future plans Premier's conduct and the affair will be brought mill lie between that of Santereau and Colonel Bolingo, and in the Manitoba-Eszislature.

Halphong Bolingo, Manila L. New York, 7th February. oription, except by saying that it proposes a Anping A fashionably dressed young woman, who was system of looks. The latter consists of a seazecompanied by her husband, startled the audi. level canal to Bahia, where it proposes to place Wladivostock ...; 30.06 | 23 | 100 | -- | 0 | b | --conclusion of the duel scene in "Mr. Barnes of Krem Bahia to Paraiso the distance will be New York," and the scream brought the curtain down somewhat prematurely. The young pear Paraiso, another lock will be placed, as well as Haiphong woman fainted. Several ushers helped her husband to carry her out to the lobby. She was about to become a mother. The performance was to the Pacific terminus. The estimate of this

LONDON, 13th February. The enormous fortune left by the late Dake An agent of the syndicate of American capi. of Montpensier has furnished grounds for anbook of their receipts in Paris during the ex. enjoyment of the members of that exclusive Barometer class, and a vigorous agitation of the matter Humidity He says that the show took in 2,000,000 france, may be expected. It is estimated that there is Direction of wind ... ter was entitled to 30 per cent of the gross re- many of them, indeed, without countries, and ceipts, which would make their share exceed who are never mentioned except in the pages of

lic debt of every power in Europe. HALIFAX, 14th February. Prince Dhulsep Singh has been the lion of respondent and to him said; "I live the life of a bermit on a lone isle in the river. I am king upon the isle of St. Louis. My house is to me son here. For some reason he enjoyed more allowed to the lightning; o. overcast; p. passing showers; q. society; r. Last summer with mosture oning two.

Prince Dhulsep Singh has been the lion of the Direction of the Wish scoording to Beaufort Scale, beautiful and the state of the lightning; o. overcast; p. passing showers; q. society; r. Last summer with mosture oning two.

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leep Singh sent for a lawyer and gave a bill of STEWART.

sale for all his personal effects to his brother aide-Nicz, 9th February. sale for all his personal effects to his brother aide-There was but one cry in Nice to-night, and de-camp, Lieutenant Jenkins, from whom he bor-

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CHAPTER XXXIII 'No. vain alse! th' endeavour From bonds so sweet to sever : Poor windom's chance Against a glance

Is now as weak as ever." To be able to meet misfortane with an im-Despard, however, though unequal to the task knowing she feels no faintest liking for me." of entirely hiding her chagrin so far managed to You are a brave man fit says Lady Daspard Goorge restrain her real feeling that her brother never in a curious tone that has something of contempt range Hume in such wise as should make him a good to "Sometimes, I have thought-" little power in his own county. Money he did lies was not want, though more money is always to be ... West?" regarding him with a keen glance. desired, and Hume was as good a name as you ." That perhaps in time, she may learn to recould find anywhere. But a title. It would be gard me with kinder eyes."

would have him go where titles were, and --- So kind, so honourable, so true a man! A man, but had never been definite enough to destroy with kindly eyes! the idea she had formed of them, as highly. life, and her knowledge of Irish manners and lighting. intelligent English groups. Is it too late? is her first thought, when Hume

to an end. Is there no way out of the difficulty ? ful of the fatal step he is about to take, but that will lead him to safety, and leave him to esponse tinge of irony, "that Miss Delaney is not too the titled damsel she has already secretly select. bigh-souled to refrain from exposing me. Now. ed for him.

ing love for her brother-who is a few years her talk to her like that." est respect, mingled with a calm regard, but | --- P Very good. One last word. Is she for George ber love is as sincere as it is earnest. difficult? She is a woman of a strong character, not easily exrefully cultured, but cold and a trifle unsympa. | 'like that.'" thetic to wees in general. A woman so almost handsome. Like his her eyes are singularly Oh, poor George! intelligent, and indeed in many ways she resembles him trait for trait-in the touch of hauteur that marks the turn of her neck-the unmistakable distinction that belongs to voice and movement, and in the whole air of aristocratic

"Is it too late?" says she, in her low trainante | upon bim. voice, raising her head at last, and regarding her It is an unfortunate story, certainly, but most to look at "that Irish girl!" things are capable of being placed. If you would |. out of it, consistent with every good feeling." "No, no. It is too late," quekly.

come and stay with me, for example. That in the wrong. What a temper! would prevent a great deal of talk. I could arrange it for her. I think." spoken to her ungle."

"Even that might be settled. I could offer herself mistaken. to take her about with me this Autumn. And for her before the spring. If you will leave it of you to call? to me, as I said just now, I feel sure I -

constraint upon himself. "Perhaps it is as well me, and his interest in you to say at once that I don't want a way out of it!" of way; after which there is silence, between the or sentence. She pauses and looks it to be landed here.

thoroughly disheartened. better express her.' " And----and----

is that. The Delaneys are one of the oldest and something resembling commiseration troubles the 22nd March (SATURDAY), or they will finest families in Ireland. Don't make a mis- her breast and she would perhaps have spoken not be recognized. take about that."

that you say, why are you so unhappy about this it, and lays a short concise account of her prematter! Why do you so evidently shrink from sence here and its consequences before Lady -try not to mind me, dear-your marriage Despard ly. As he speaks he turns abruptly away, and her visitor.

stares into the fire burning in the grate, a little light but abrupt movement she shuts termination to support her brother. up her fan, and lets it fall into her lap. Then as though a sudden thought has come to her, her | sister." brow clears; here, perhaps, is a sudden lifting out of all her difficulty. "Is there anyone else?" she asks, bending is my brother." eagerly forward. "Oh, that there may be !"

" No." says Hume. believe in it. Once again a frown gathers on told you that?" her face. That anyone—anyone—should dere to regard lightly an alliance with her brother! And this one! A little, unsophisticated Irish girl, to whom the world of society is a scaled book-who would probably not know how to room! That she should be blind to the advant- is fixed on the tears in the girl's eyes. ages to be gained with a marriage with a Hume!

"What! You only think it! Good heavens, Despard vehemently, forgetful of her carefully- she says quickly, "I should not speak like this acquired susvity in a moment that touches the to you. If he were anyone else's brother, it welfare of the one she loves best on earth, would be easier to tell you how it is with me "Think—consider, I beseech you, before it is but you have come and you must be told about too late. Try to see what a mistake you are it. And-" about to make of your whole life. And that girl !-- I do entreat you, George, to go well him?" asks Lady Despard abruptly. into it, before taking such an irrevocable step. It is as ornel to her as to you."

free will. That unhappiness will come of it, I young woman to renounce this idea, but now lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready Street, on TUESDAY, the 25th inst., at

For her as surely as for you. Can she se- How, if by word of her's, George should lose Goods undelivered after the 22nd instant parate; from you? except under the most this beautiful girl? Would be ever forgive will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods disgraceful — Oh, George, do think! You her? And surely, in time, as he himself said, a must be left in the Godowns, where they will be should think now for both. What sort of a creature so sweet, so sensitive, so plainly lovable examined at 11 A.M. on the 21st inst.

"That idea has occurred to myself," retorts he with a half laugh.

"Then why not rouse yourself, and throw off this threll---- ?" "I suppose the madness has gone too deep for

"She will not forgive you," says she, after a "I am afraid | oan't contradict that," replies to day is to carry you back with me," he, coldly, still with that encering token of mirth, "It is inexplicable to me, that you should so

should you I confess I cannot understand be unpleasant to you.

"There is nothing to understand" exclaims putting an end to her halting speech. I have more desirable." Getting up, Lady Despard fallen in love with her, that is all. It is a story moves nearer to the girl, and lays a light hand so old, that it should not arouse surprise in any upon her shoulder. "Why should you disanmind. It has gone so far with me, that, well, point me in this matter?" she asks very kindly window and stands there, motionless, his back taks Nan, in a low tramulous tone, her eyes on turned to her.

"If that had been said at first," begins Lady Despard a little stiffly. "I know. It would have been fairer, houseter. But sometimes it is so hard to speak. Well. passive countenance is given to but few Lady content to marry her since she has willed it so, turning abruptly to Lady Despard.

quite knew, how far she regarded his intended in it. To her, who has never known love, this marriage as a social failure. It was a dreadful abject surrender of opeself engrests only cowar. hurriedly, "that you will only have to stay with blow to her. She had been an ambitions woman dice. Why can he not rise and fight against me for quite a short time. You will say yes ?" always, and when she had settled herself in life, this ignoble passion, and orush it out of all shape? in a manner creditable in the highest degree to "Not so brave after all," wilfully ignoring her rising to leave the room. "I was writing to her wisdom, had found herself full of a desire to , real mearing, and taking her words in apparent Penelope before you came. I suppose you want

such an advisable thing, that a young heir to . There is something so melancholy, so entirely Hume Castle should have a Lady Elizabeth, or a without hope, in these hopeful words that Lady Lady Hildegarde for his mother. She would not | Despard's disappointment sinks out of sight, stead indeed have George marry for title, but she and all her heart yearns towards her brother. Now all her hopes are dead. Of course she not handsome truly, but sufficiently distinguish.

has heard of the Delaney girls; a word here, a ed in appearance to be looked at twice wherever centence there. His letters now and again had he goes. A gentleman-always, and with a heart presented them to her in one light or another; so tender-traly any woman might regard bim " She may indeed," cries she heartily, a warmth coloured, loud laughing, romping Irish girls, in her tone that had not been in it until now. Lady Despard had never been in Ireland in her Hume, hearing, comes back to her, his eyes

people were strictly limited to such wild accounts "Ah:" gave he, feeling her once more at touch as we now and again hear disseminated amongst with him, "now that is kind. You will help me. You will do for me what you can?" " And that ?" asks she smiling, and feeling she has brought his narrative—a rather sorry one— is letting herself in for perhaps terrible things. "I want you to call on her. To make her

A suspicion of melancholy about Hume has sug- your friend-to-induce her to come and stay gested to her that perhaps he is at heart regret- with you, until the marriage is accomplished." "You wish her to be married from my house henour compels him to stifle all token of it. To in effect," says Lady Despard with a sigh. try to persuade him to abandon a cause in which | " Well, as it seems a settled thing, let us by all be feels himself bondslave to duty would, she means give it a brilliant colour to the world. knows, be worse than useless; but surely she There is hardly anybody in town at present, but would not be doing her duty, were she to refrain! I can get two or three socially-important people from striving with all her might to extricate to come to your wedding breakfast. I shall him from this terrible dilemma. There mus be have to tell a he or two to account for the cx- recognized. a means of escape somewhere, a via media that | cassive haste, and I hope," with an irrepressible

when am I to call P' With all her worldliness, a strong and endur- "To-morrow, if you will. But please do not innior—is the chief passion of her life. For her | "I shall, I daresay, be able to control myself," husband, an old man and kind, she has the deep says she, with a slight laugh. " The address is

" She-well-it is possible," says Hume desmoved, suave and delicate in manner, and very | perately, "that she, too, might talk to you-

"Oh, George!" says Lady Despard. She pretty that a perfect toilette at all times made keeps her lips determinedly together after this her appear so, and with a charming smile, that one protestation, but her thoughts run riot. is as cultivated as her mind; tall and slight, and A profound pity for him fills her breast. will young enough to hold her own with those Ignorant, Irish, unsophisticated, dead to the much younger than her, she is still sufficiently laws of society, weres than indifferent to him, Captain C. Haesloop, having arrived from the like Hume to preclude the idea of her being without a penny! and-with a violent temper!

-CH-APTER-XXXIV "You must love me, albeit the world I offend By importingnee, whimsies, conceit." Full of these settled views as to Nan's appear breeding that renders her the exceptional woman | ance, manners, and so forth, she awaits with a | TO-DAY. proachable toilette, she would certainly present its Holland grave cloths, miserable forehodings, stored at Consignees' risk and expense 🖘

herself as not noticeably good-looking, but at no about her brother's future fill her mind. One time would she be within the pale of ugliness. thing alone sustains her, the hope that perhaps Here she has the advantage of her brother, who she may by argument judiciously placed, induce undelivered after the 20th inst. will be subject can lay claim to not the smallest shareof beauty. | this vulgar young person to relinquish her claim | to rent. The opening of the door drives her from the brother earnestly. "Can I not do something? last finishing touches she is giving to her plan examined on the 20th inst., at 4 P.M.

Involuntarily she rises to her feet as Nan. trust it to me. I believe I could find you a way pale, but perfectly composed, comes up the room. Is this the "ignorant, Irish, unsophisticated." designing young person of her imagination? "Oh, surely not. There is always time. And Good heavens! what grace. what distinction, it is so serious. One's whole life! She might what --- . After all she had not been entirely Nan's eyes are indeed flashing, and set in the

extreme pallor of face look black. Lady Des-"Impossible!" rather more sharply. "I have pard had thought she would have been the one to commence any cold introduction, but she finds "You are Mr. Hume's sister," says Nan, very and Havre. Fr S. S. Erymanthe and -and if the is as -as presentable as you seem gravely, and with just sufficient civility to pre- Manche, in connection with above Steamer,

to hint at, I daresay I could manage a marriage vent all thought of discourtesy. It is very kind are hereby informed that their Goods, with the "The no," sayr tady Despard with a little are being landed and stored at their risks at the "Perhaps," interrupts Hume, who has grown smile, that to her restonishment she finds to be Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be rather white, and is evidently laying a great conciliatory. "My orother can always command obtained immediately after lauding:

strain and Lady Despard's eyes, hardly con-"Is she pretty?" asks she, in a low tone, ciously as it seems to the latter. It is evident Undersigned. she is making up her mind to make a bold dash Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS. Very," slowly. "Lovely, indeed, would at the detested matter that has brought them DAY, the 20th March, at Noon, will be subject together, and Lady Despard looks at her, and to rent and landing charges at one cont por waiting for her to speak, grows sure that the package per diem. "Oh, nonsense," impatiently. "Of course she girl is not only angry, but terribly unhappy; soothing words of some sort, but that Nan, "But forgive me. George if things are all having found the thought needful, gives voice to

"I don't know what he has told you" she

"Not quite what you have told me, and I This time Lady Despard says nothing. An think you misjudge him," says Lady ilespard, expression of intense grief, mingled with gently, because of her sudden sympathy for this haughty indignation, darkens ber face. With unknown levely creature, but always with a de- having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness " Naturally," with a hopeless air, "you are his

"Don't misjudge me too. Believe me I could be just-were he in the wrong-even though he whence delivery may be obtained. "He tells me," says Nan, as if hardly heeding to the contrary be given before 11 A.M., TOher, "that I must either go home, and endure DAY.

"No?" She repeats his word as if unable to the talk, the scandal-or marry him? Has he " Well. I shall not go home." "Which means that you will marry him ?". "I can't bear to hear it put into words by by

another," says Nan, with a fierceness that might recognized. conduct herself if placed in a fashionable drawing- have offended Lady Despard, but that her glauce " My dear, consider. Is it so terrible a thing? "At least," says Hume very sadly, as if bound You will say again, no doubt, 'Naturally, you to correct himself against his will, "I think not." are his sister, but surely George is a person to Alan, the key to a great part of his misery lies be loved-not hated. And he loves you so." in these words. He can only hope not. Always Once again she is puzzled to find that she is when he would most desperately thrust it from positively advocating the cause of a marriage, him, the face of Boyle Ffrench presents itself that only half an hour age was an abomination

"That is my misfortune," says Nan coldly. what is it you are going to do?" cries Lady Then her natural graciousness repreaching her,

Lady Despard had come primed and loaded charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go-"I tell you she is taking this step of her own with arguments to induce the ignorant, &c., downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will know," almost fiercely; "but for me, I hope; somehow all her grandly prepared sentences fail for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. her, and she sits mute, not knowing what to say. the 15th inst.

might be brought to-"I don't know, I'm sure," recklessly. "Not "I shook you," says Nan who has misinter-worse than a lot of other fellows, I daressly." preted her silence. "fiut I could not go home "And you can contemplate it thus coolly; after this. I should only make things difficult see mad," says she, her delicate face for the others—the girls, my sisters, I mean— I should make them unhappy."

"Are you sure you will not make them more Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the unhappy by thus sacrificing yourself for them?" Owners, will be RESPONSIBLE for any "Oh, don't mistake me," says Nan, esgerly. DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews "I am doing this thing for myself. You must of the following Vessels during their stay in understand that And," with an sir of weary Hourkong Harbour :-discontent, "I do so hate talking about it." "I can quite believe that. Well, to change Cycr.s. Brit. str , New .- Chinese.

the subject. What principally brought me here LENNOX, Brit. str., Swinnerton.-Adamson, "Thank you, but ---" "Better have no bute in this case I assure Relable."

the first. If this girl never cared for you, why mine, even though I can quite see that it may "Surely my uncle's house---"

"No." gently. "Under the circumstances ie, with an uncontrolable burst of impatience, the house of your future sister-in-law will be I could not give her up " He walks over to the ... Your brother He is staying with you?"

"Not from this moment, if you are to be my La Claims seainst the Hongkong Brauch of guest, and if you prefer his being elsewhere. Still, if you could bring yourself to ____" "I could not," sharply. "I refuse to see you understand how it is with me now. I am him again until - When can we be married?" "The day after to-morrow. I have heard from

> " So, you see," says Lady Despard, a little "Very well; ges," says Nam, rather forlarmly, me to go back with you now. Can you wait luntil I finish my latter ?" "Certainly, certainly," cries Lady Despard,

briskly, having gained her point. Two days later Nan Delaney has consed to exist; and Annotte Marion Hume reigns in her

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

(To be continued.)

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL, AND · SENGAPOBE. FITHE Company's Steamship

having arrived from the above ports. Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 22nd inst., or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be exsmined on the 22nd inst., at 4 P.st. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any The Best—Only one quality consigned. Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd

instant will be subject to rent. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless Invalids in particular are recommended to selecnotice to the contrary be given before 10 A.M., TO.DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. FIRE Steamship

"BELLONA.

above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby | Perfectly pure Bordeaux, not loaded to please requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from Option Cargo will be forwarded upless

notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. that she so undoubtedly is. As I have said, to discontent bordering on horror that young lady's -Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be EENEDICTINE from the Monastery. the careful observer, disrobing her as it were, and entrance. Sitting in the cold selemnity of the landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and | C. P. & Co. are the Sole Consigners of this leaving her without the adjuncts of an irre- drawing-room in Mr. Blake's house, draped in Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and No Claims will be admitted after the Goods | marked * have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSSEN & Co., Ageuts. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. STEAMSHIP "CONGO."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. NOTICE:

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless

"As for that," interrupts Miss Delaney not intimation is received from the Consignees "Oh!" says Lady, Despard, in a curious sort rudely, has if musble to listen to the termina- before 10 A.M., TO-DAY (FRIDAY), requesting Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. "She does not care for me," replies he, short- winds up at last, her earnest eyes still fixed on FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

> of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hougkong and Kowloon Wharf. and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, Optional cargo will be forwarded tinless hotice VICTORIA

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th inst, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consigness are requested to present all claims . be held in the Freemagons' HALL, or damages unifor shortages not later than the 27th instant, otherwise they will be Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 13th March, 1890. TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O.S. S. CO.'S S.S. "SARPEDON." FROM LIVERPOOL.

CHIP PING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 19th inst., for shipment per steamer "AGAMEMNON." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. "Have you quite made up your mind to marry CONSIGNEES per Company's Storage

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. A OT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBYS

BELLONA. Ger. str., Hassloop.—Siemssen & Co.

PRIVATE BOARD & R. BATH FALCONDR WILL PRINCE PROPONTIS, Delt. utr., Farrand,-Mitsui Bussan Korrlogn aften Tan Jahran for have sunk yourself in an affair hopeless from you, it will be wise of you to accept this play of W. H. Lithauly, Amp, the Dillow Rightly & Co. Hone kong, 10th January, 1890,

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIMITED. FOR TAKAO.

FINE Company's Steamship PAYMENT OF 7TH AND FINAL " HAIPHONG." Captain Harris, will : he despatched for the shove Port TO-DAY, the 18th just, at Noon. 7TH DIVIDEND of 5 per Cent on all

For Freight or Passage, apply to General Managers. THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION which have been approved by the Court of Chancery Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. will be paid at the Offices of the New O. IENTAL STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank TIHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator admitting

Hongkong, 15th March, 1890.

BRINDISI." Captain E. Street, will leave for the above places at NOON, TO-DAY, the 18th instant. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE, ANI YOKOHAMA, VIA INLAND SEA. THE Steamship

" CARDIGANSHIRE." Captain F. Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 18th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 11th March, 1800. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. HE Steamship

"BELLONA." 7.7 UTLER, PALMER & Co. Captain C. Haesloop, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at TEN A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to ŠIEMŠŠEN & Co., LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by

Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR COGNAC—Their popular "4 Star quality and SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAIL COGNAC-Their well-known "2.Star" quality. BRINDISI TRIESTE, and VENICE. Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA. MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA. LEVANT & ADRIATIC PORTS. . HE Company's Steamship

"MEDUSA. Captain G. Mettel, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th inst., at Noon. Cargo will not be received on Board after 5 P.M. prior to date of sailing For Further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 11th March, 1890. F FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. "MANZANILLA." a clean dry appetising Wine. | THE Steam ship

"SHERBY-WHITE SEAL," a special favorite in EDENDALE," Captain Humphress, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 19th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 11th March, 1890.

> FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG, AND SOURABAYA, THE Steamship Captain Grier, will be despatched as above or

or about the 17th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 11th March, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Company's Steamship "AJAX."

Captain Riley, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 20th inst. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK-For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays AMSTERDAM, ROTTERNAM, LONDON, LIVER-POOL and BREMEN). Y HE Steamship is requested, when immediate steps will be taken "LYDIA."

Captain Forck, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 21st inst. at 133 TEN A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 12th March, 1890.

STEAM TO LONDON VIA BOMBAY, AND MARREILLES. Calling at INTERMEDIATE PORTS. These world-famous Pens are the "Best in FIRE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "ВОМВАТ." Captain E. Weston, will leave for the above

places at NOON, on FRIDAY, the 21st inst. GHALLEGE CUPS value \$200 and \$100 This vessel is disconnected from the mail serrespectively. Also two Consolation Cups value vides, but has excellent accommodation for The 1st Stage of the Seventh Competition | through passengers (first salcon only) at reduced will take place next SATURDAY, the 22nd rates. Eleptric Light, Deck Cabins, Surgeon instant, at 2.15 p.m. commencing at 300 yards. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 15th March, 1890. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

Address Victoria Hotel. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AND NAGASAKI: (Passing through the Inland SEA) HE Company's Steamship

"GENERAL WERDER." Captain M. Eichel, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 21st inst. For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co... Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 18th. Hongkong, 17th March, 1890.

> OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.) 1HE Company's Steamship.

" AGAMEMNON," NEMERGENCY CONVOCATION will | Captain lintchison, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 22nd instant. For Freight, or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 14th March, 1890.

> " GIBB" LINE FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TAS-MANIA, and NEW ZEALAND). 1 HE British Steamship "TARTAR.

Captain Bailey, will be despatched as above on or about the 23rd just. This steamer has superior Accommodation for First class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers. Hongkong, 10th March, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAYRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. INHE Steamship

Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical work. " flintsilibe. Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above. 1629 Ports on or about the 6th April. This steamer has good Passenger Accommodation; and parries a rungeon; For businght, or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Asma

Hangkorg, 18th March, 1990.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO- FINHE Steamskip LUMBO, PONDIOHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS. ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX. WEDNESDAY, the 19th March, 1890, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "OXUS." Commandant Delacroix, with MAILS. PASSENGERS. SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal

places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 18th March, 1890. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Com-

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 7th March, 1890.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAILS TEAMS TIP COMPANT. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. HE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF RIO Mail. DE JANEIRO" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUESDAY. the 25th March, 1890, at 1 P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United 1643 States and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to 1 Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco and return, 3 899.75 available for 6 months....... To Liverpool 325.00 To London 380.00 To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers

Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacitic, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.Ms same Company's Office until Five P.M. the day preday; all Parcel Packages should be marked to vious to sailing. address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and

No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 27th February, 1890. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO ADEN, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES,

BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH Japan to Europe. BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIKSTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

Specie only landed at Plymouth. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "PEKIN," Captain P. Harris, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON VIA BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on WEDNESDAY, the 26th March.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 P.M. on the day before sailing-Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vin Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to not the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, THE CANADIAN PACIFIC BAILWAY

RAILWAY LINES, & STEAMERS. /YIME British Steamship . "BATAVIA." 2,553 Tons Register, Captain Williamson, will be despatched for VANCOUVER. B.C. YIA INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKO.

HAMA, on THURSDAY, the 3rd April, at

To be followed by the S. B. " ABYSSINIA' on the 24th April, and S. S. "PARTHIA" | FETHE 3/3 L. I. I. British Bark on the loth May. Connection will be made at Yokchama with and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points, quick despatch. by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast STEAMSHIP COMPANY and other Steamers.

land, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows: To Vancouver & Victoria ... (Mex.) \$210.00. To Montreal, New York, &c 290.00. To London..... To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the

Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. tined to Points in the United States should be addition. sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van- ployed by those suffering from a weak digestion. couver, B.C. Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.M on the 2nd April. All Purcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the

For information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 7th March: 1890. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. FI HE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

day previous to sailing.

"WILLIAM H. MACY."

Ainsbury, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

vessels on the beath CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSUAND PORTS, SYDNEY, AND ME !-BOURNE.

<u>"CHINGTU."</u> Captain Hunt, will be desputched as above on SUNDAY, the 30th inst., at DAYLIGHT. The attention of Passengers is directed to the superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabina at situated forward of the Engines. Second likes Passengers are borthed in the Poop A lifrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of "resh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 7th March, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. THE Company's Steamship. "NINGCHOW." Wm. Durdin, Commander, will be desputched for the above Port on or about the 30th inst.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 11th March, 1890. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. FITHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

For Freight, apply to

"MIRZAPORE," will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 15th March, 1890, NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

FINIE Company's Steamship "PREUSSEN." Captain C. Pohle, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward Gorman Mail. For further particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 17th March, 1890. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTALSTEAM SHIP COMPANY.

PAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES. of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA AND EUROPE; VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "GAELIC" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yoko-(or vice versa) within-one year, will be allowed hama, on SATURDAY, the 5th April, 1890. a discount of 10% from Return Fare. This at ONE P.M., Connection being made at Yoko allowance does not apply to through fores from bama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan China and Japan to Europe. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to. address in full; and same will be received at the

First-class Fares granted as follows:— To San Francisco \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, 393.75 available for 6 months 'Po Liverpool To London To other European points at proportiouate Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the

Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

tined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Arency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1890. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ.

PORT SAID.

BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP,

BREMEN. AND HAMBURG.

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS: LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS GALYESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.

11890, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "PREUSSEN," Captain C. Poble, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above. CALLING AT GENCA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 12th April. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board: they must be left at the Agency's

N SUNDAY, the 13th day of April.

Office). Contents and Value of Packages are The Steamer has splendid Accommodation. and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For Further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.;

Hongkong, 17th March, 1889. FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON. "SUMATRA"

Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, will load here for the above Ports, and will have For Freight, apply to Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng- Rengkong, 25th February, 1890.

> A NATURAL SOLERA SHERRY, Dr. Stevenson Macadam, writes:-"ANALYTICAL LABORATORY, EDINHURGH, 11th June, 1888.

" Meeses, Cutler, Palmer & Co. "I have made a careful and exhaustive Analysis of seample of Sherry of the mark La Tonna. The results show this Sherry to be a natural Wine of Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des- great parity, free from added alcohol or other 'The 'LA Torer' Shorry is well adapted for general use, andgir a tonic which may be safely em-

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THE JAPAN SUPPLY HIP-COMPRADORES, COMMISSION MERCHANTS GENERAL CONTRACTORS. JOHN A. PEEBLES. Manager. No. 27. MAIN STREET, YOKOHAMA.

Yokohama, 3rd February, 1890.

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